

Love, like religion, is often ridiculed, but both grow stronger every day.—Anonym.

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VILLA ABANDONS TORREON-JUAREZ TO CARRANZISTAS

Rebel Chief Reported Moving West for Supplies; Americans Held for Ransom

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] EL PASO, Tex., Sept. 24.—Decisive defeat for Gen. Villa was indicated in despatches received here last night.

Villa troops are reported to be abandoning their positions in the vicinity of Torreon and Juarez and to be moving toward the West Coast country.

Observers of the Mexican situation say if this is true it practically clinches recognition for Gen. Carranza by the United States and South American countries.

One object in the Villa movement westward is said to be the renewal of supplies. On the West Coast there is a rich harvest which has not yet been touched. The country Gen. Villa has been holding is the worst starvation district in Mexico.

Despatches from Chihuahua say that Foreman McCabe of the Santa Domingo ranch, who was kidnapped with the manager, E. P. Fuller, several days ago, is en route to El Paso for \$200,000 ransom money to obtain Fuller's release.

McCabe was released by the bandits to act as messenger. If he does not return it is said Fuller's life will be taken.

'GLAD HAND' MAN GREETED READER OF Y. M. C. A. BOOK

Annual Publication Tells in Attractive Manner of Advantages of Organization

The Y. M. C. A. has issued its annual publication. The title of the book as announced on the cover is: "Speaking of Clubs, Real Clubs"—and then you see the engraving of the man with the "glad hand" at the open door. The new publication is divided into ten sections, each one stating the good points of the association.

Naturally at this time the first article deals with the swimming pool and the cut on this section presents a photo of the old town crier, giving the public the welcome news of the opening. The next article is headed by "Three Times a Day," which tells of the many "good eats" that may be obtained at the cafeteria. The third article is "Exercise," which tells the reader of the benefits to be derived from the gym. Naturally after exercise comes "Solid Comfort," which may be obtained "any time at the association in a hundred different forms." Then the educational article and "A Club Plus" tell of the many good opportunities in these departments.

The bookwork is not overlooked, as the article on "The Luxury of Reading" will signify. Then comes the timber-splitting game for the man who likes to bowl, followed by the "Chalk Up, John," which takes you to the billiard room where you make the mase shots. The last article is called "Come Up to the Counter." Here the association welcomes you to visit at any time and learn of the pleasures and benefits of the life in the Y. M. C. A.

The book is well edited and the printing has been favorably commented upon by the officials of the association. The book, which is printed upon fine book paper, was turned out at the Honolulu Star-Bulletin plant.

ARCHIBALD'S LETTERS UNDER EXAMINATION BY FEDERAL OFFICERS

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 24.—Examination of the letters taken from J. F. J. Archibald, the American correspondent, by British authorities at Falmouth, has not been completed here yet. It is believed, however, that no proceedings against the correspondent will be attempted. It is reported that Congress will be asked to enact a law covering similar cases.

SEIZE TWO GERMANS OUTSIDE THE HARBOR

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Two Germans, the third officer and a seaman of the Norwegian steamship Starkad, which arrived here from Bordeaux, were taken off her near Fire Island light vessel by the British cruiser Berwick. It was the first time in months a British cruiser has stopped a vessel outside the harbor here and taken off men.

So Berwick signalled the Starkad to stop and sent a boarding party to her in a small boat. Her papers were looked over by a British officer and the two Germans were taken. Then the Starkad was permitted to proceed here.

YUAN WANTS RECOGNITION PLEDGE BEFORE HE DECLARES AN EMPIRE

Col.-Gen. Wudan Says Dr. F. J. Goodnow is Going to States to Sound President Wilson

"China's republic, which was organized with so much enthusiasm, and which caused so many smiles and so much deep interest all over the world, is surely doomed," says Col.-Gen. D. J. Wudan, associated editor of the Chinese Liberty News and leading liberal of the young Chinese patriots of Hawaii.

"Our correspondents in Japan and China state that there is no doubt as to the intent with which President Yuan Shih-Kai has sent Dr. F. J. Goodnow, his American adviser, back to the United States to confer with President Wilson and Secretary Lansing, and his Japanese adviser, Dr. Ariga, to Japan to confer with the diplomatic leaders of his country."

"It means to anyone who has followed the course of Yuan Shih-Kai since he has been president that he is trying to influence other countries to pledge themselves to recognize his government when he proclaims the empire."

"Will a proclamation kill the Chinese Republic," Wudan was asked. "It will kill the republic for the moment," he replied, "but it will be only for the moment, I am convinced."

Here Gen. Wudan leaned over his desk with a changed face.

"Nothing good dies easily," he said earnestly. "The Chinese Republic, which was born out of so much pain, so many generations of blind suffering—the idea of that republic cannot die. There will be uprisings when the empire is proclaimed and of course no one can tell what the result of those uprisings will be. One thing the world has to remember is that China is slowly but surely becoming a self-conscious nation—a nation which weighs itself against the rest of the world after the Occidental fashion. In a word—China is waking up."

"Once she is surely roused 10,000 Yuan Shih-Kais and 10,000,000 proclamations cannot destroy the republic. I know that many people doubt the value of the republic, and perhaps in some of its manifestations the republic is not ideal, but this I do know and that is that the purpose and the thought of the republic are good."

CHINA FEELS THAT 'OPEN DOOR' HAS BEEN SLAMMED BY JAPANESE

Negotiations Concerning Details of Demands Granted in May are Going on Now

[By Associated Press.] PEKING, China.—Mr. Hsiao, the Japanese minister, is in daily conference with foreign office officials arranging details growing out of the China-Japanese treaties. It was agreed by Japan and China on May 25 that part of the sections of the new treaty relating to South Manchuria were suspended for some months to make necessary preparations for putting them into effect.

The suspended sections are designated as articles 2, 3, 4 and 5 of group 2. These sections provide that Japanese may lease land in South Manchuria for agricultural or commercial purposes; may reside, travel and engage in business there; may cooperate with Chinese in agricultural and industrial enterprises, but must submit to the police laws and taxation of China.

While the conference will doubtless result in an agreement between China and Japan as to the regulations under which these articles are to be put into force, Chinese newspapers are skeptical as to whether other nations interested in the Far East will accept the new conditions in South Manchuria uncomplainingly.

Want Exclusive Rights. In discussing the sections of the treaty affecting eastern inner Mongolia and South Manchuria, the Peking Daily Gazette says: "The regulations

MISSING PIANIST IS DISCOVERED WORKING ON HIS MASTERPIECE

NEW YORK, N. Y.—Leopold Godowski, noted pianist, who mysteriously disappeared from his home, and for whom a nation-wide search was instituted, is in Hackensack, N. Y., "in seclusion writing his masterpiece," according to a statement made by Miss Vanita Godowski, his daughter, at her home in Avon, N. J. Miss Godowski said the information came in a letter. "The letter was delivered by a boy from the Ashbury Park postoffice," said Miss Godowski. "I can only tell you father said he was writing his masterpiece, which he had talked of all his life."

"He did not say where he could be found in Hackensack. He said he did not want to be disturbed and that he would be home when his work is finished."

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thought of the republic are good."

"But if the people revolt against the empire, should it be reestablished, will not Japan stand on the side of the empire with all of her armies?" Wudan was asked.

"I do not think so," he said, after a moment of study. "You see, Japan's demands, which were recently made upon China, roused such a violent feeling among all classes of people that at the present moment Japan feels that she must go very slowly and very surely. What she is afraid of is a Chinese boycott on Japanese goods. This is the one effective weapon which China has against Japan and in the present condition of Japanese finance, I think that this will direct and control the acts of the Japanese government."

Liberals United Now. Wudan states that the recent moves of Yuan Shih-Kai have united Chinese liberals all over the world against him.

"In this town," he said, "we were having a hard time to make a success of the Liberty News, but now the circulation is going up by leaps and bounds. People who refused to support us before now rally around us because while they may differ with us on detail they agree with us on underlying principles. Already the circulation has passed 1200 and it is still going up."

"So great is the demand among the Chinese now for news of China, so rapidly are the Chinese everywhere, in Hawaii as much as in the heart of the empire, coming to realize themselves as a people; so vividly is their national consciousness reacting upon them, that I have decided to put into effect an old dream of mine—the establishment of a magazine called the Pacific China Magazine."

"In this magazine I shall try to collect the thoughts and opinions of Chinese all over the world, but especially along the Pacific coast of the United States and throughout the Pacific regions. I think that I can do much with it. Already I have spent three months of hard work in outlining material for future use, and the field seems limitless."

"Sometime toward the close of next month the first issue will be out. The magazine will deal with Chinese labor, thought and religion and mercantile conditions on all the shores and islands of the Pacific."

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In connection with the treaty respecting South Manchuria and eastern inner Mongolia may give more difficulty. The object that the Japanese have in view, as is clearly evidenced by the wording of the treaty, is to secure for Japanese exclusively the right to lease land, travel and reside and carry on any kind of business in South Manchuria, as well as special privileges in inner eastern Mongolia. This will be difficult of attainment as the most favored nation clause is a formidable obstacle to Japan's ambitions.

Much interest is manifested in China in the Japanese promise last May, before the completion of the new treaties, that Japan would not ask for any rights in Shantung province which Germany did not enjoy. The new treaties provide that China is to open certain ports in that province for foreign trade after consulting with the Japanese minister. The two governments are now discussing the ports which are to be opened and an announcement of the decision is expected soon.

The Peking Gazette says: "The open door has practically ceased to exist as far as South Manchuria, eastern inner Mongolia, Shantung and Fokien are concerned. Whether it will be left in any measure ajar so that those who do not possess the Japanese passport may enter depends upon the interpretation given to the most favored nation clause of the treaties. By this clause any general privileges or rights granted to the citizens or subjects of any one nation are automatically extended to the other treaty powers."

BRITAIN HAS CAPTURED OR SUNK FORTY-TWO TEUTON SUBMARINES

NEW YORK, N. Y.—A special to the Times from Washington says: "Up to three weeks ago the British navy alone, without regard to the navies of France and Italy, had sunk or captured 42 German submarines. This information is contained in a personal letter from Field Marshal Sir John French, commander-in-chief of the British army in Flanders, to one of the best known men in America, who is an old friend of Sir John. "It indicates that Germany has lost at least half a hundred submarines since the war began. French destroyers are known to have sunk several submarines, and Italy may have accounted for one or two."

FINEST TIMBER BURNED

SALEM, Ore.—Because of forest fires in Union and Wallawa counties, believed to have been started by careless hunters, Governor Withycombe has issued a proclamation suspending the open season for hunting in these counties. Reports reaching the governor's office are that fires are laying waste some of the best timber in eastern Oregon.

SECY. REDFIELD INTERPRETS NEW SEAMEN'S LAW

Language Not Specified, But Officers and Crew Must Understand Each Other

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 24.—Secretary of Commerce Redfield has announced the government's interpretation of the text of the Seamen's Act, effective November 4, regarding the language test.

The secretary declares that the law does not call for the understanding of the English language or of any other particular language on the part of the officers or members of the crew, but that any language which is sufficiently understood by the officers to enable them to give orders to a proper proportion of the crew will comply with the provisions of the law.

Under this ruling, American ships may be operated by a Chinese or Japanese crew, without knowledge of English, providing the officers are either Chinese or Japanese or have a working knowledge of those languages.

BRITISH STEAMER LINE MAY ENTER PACIFIC TRADE

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., Sept. 24.—It is reported here that the Bank Steamship Line of London will enter the trans-Pacific field. The liner, it is said, is en route to Hongkong to load there November 1 with the first cargo. The ship probably will sail for San Francisco via Honolulu.

IN WAR ARENA

ALLIES' AIRMEN IN SERIES OF RAIDS

PARIS, France, Sept. 24.—Air raids against various German positions are almost constant during the past several days, and it is believed that considerable air in military sense is being accomplished. Yesterday there were raids by both French dirigibles and French aeroplanes.

One dirigible swept again over the Metz-Verdun railroad line, bombarding several of the stations and completely stopping for the time being the passage of the German troop trains. An aeroplane flotilla crossed over Upper Alsace, bombarding the railroad station at Colmar en route, and raiding against Offenburg, in Baden, where the railroad station was made the target of a score of bombs.

Another flotilla raided the German lines north of the Marne, destroying the railroad station at Vouziers, while a third raid was effected in Flanders, the German cantonments at Lange-marck and Middelkerke being shelled out by the aviators for the bombs.

REPORT SAYS MILLION GERMANS READY TO INVADE SERBIA

NISH, Serbia, Sept. 24.—An army of a million Teutons is expected to invade Serbia in an attempt to cut its way through this country, cross Bulgaria and relieve Constantinople.

According to a report here the Germans have 800,000 troops available for this drive. On the strength of this news, it is presumed the remainder of the army would be composed of Austro-Hungarians.

AUSTRIA ADMITS LOSS OF POSITIONS TO ITALIANS

VIENNA, Austria, Sept. 24.—Loss of four days of ground on the Austro-Italian front is admitted in an official report by the war office this morning. The victory may be regarded by the Italians as the foremost of the war.

"The garrison of Monte Croce, which has been long maintained by our forces," the report says, "has been evacuated owing to the attacks of vastly superior Italian forces."

AUSTRIANS RETREAT BEFORE VICTORIOUS SLAVS

VIENNA, Austria, Sept. 24.—Retreat before the Russians east of Lutsk to the west bank of the River Styx is admitted in an official report from the war office this morning. Lutsk is just over the border from northeast of Lemberg.

The Austrians claim to have repulsed other Russian attacks. South-east of Novo Poczajew the enemy was twice thrown back with heavy losses, according to the report.

LORD MAYOR OF LONDON APPEALS FOR BELGIAN RELIEF

LONDON, Eng., Sept. 24.—The lord mayor has issued an appeal for Belgian relief. Committees have been formed to handle subscriptions. The lord mayor states that \$1,922,850 is needed weekly to feed the stricken population of Belgium.

The lord mayor's plan is to cooperate with the American relief work. He calls attention in his appeal that it is the duty of Great Britain to aid the Belgians, than it is the duty of the United States.

COLLECTION OF HAWAIIAN SHELLS INCLUDES MORE THAN 200 SPECIES

C. F. Mant Has Gathered Rare and Valuable Specimens Brought Up by Dredgers

Dredging operations which have been going on outside the harbor and along the deep-sea coral reefs near Fort Armstrong for the last year or more have added valuable contributions to marine zoological knowledge here, because of the efforts of C. F. Mant, superintendent of the Seamen's Institute, in collecting and assorting the hundreds of varieties of seashells sucked up from the reefs and thrown out on land by the dredgers.

Reporting in cardboard cases at Mr. Mant's home "Seaview," in Manoa valley, are more than 2000 shells, representing 200 Honolulu varieties, many of them extremely rare. They could not have been obtained from the ocean depths in such large quantities had the dredge not brought them to light.

Among the coral and sand spouted out from the huge dredging pipe lines upon the mud flats which are now becoming valuable land were thousands of shells ranging from those almost microscopic in size to varieties nearly five inches long.

Supt. Mant has put in his spare time outside his institute duties in visiting the dredge outfall, and collecting new and little known varieties of shells. As a result he now has a collection of shells, particularly cowries, more representative of South Sea marine life than almost any other in the territory. He was assisted in his work by dredger employees and a boy

whom he employed to pick up the better-preserved species.

Has Many Varieties. Included in the varieties collected by Mr. Mant are cowries, of which he has compiled 13 varieties alone; mitre shells, cone, harp, auger and murex species. Many of the shells are exquisite in color and possess a high natural polish resembling mahogany or other polished hardwoods. Among the smaller shells in the collection are several hundred smaller than the average garden pea, and yet as perfect as their larger brethren.

"It is really remarkable how little damaged the shells were after having been lifted up from the reefs by the dredge," said Mr. Mant today. "Most of them are absolutely intact even after traveling through the pipeline so great a distance. Had it not been for the dredge I would never have been able to secure so exceptional a collection, as securing the rarer and finer shells is a hard task, because they are generally found only in deep water, and not on the beach."

Stored in England Mr. Mant has an extremely large and varied collection of shells from English and other waters. Concerning marine life, however, he believes Hawaii to offer an exceptionally rich field for research and investigation.

"At Kaneohe there are wonderful opportunities to secure specimens of crab species and sea urchins," he added. "In fact, all around the coast of Oahu is the richest possible field in marine zoology. I hope ultimately to extend my collection to include marine zoology of Hawaii in its various phases."

CHINA SEES NO CHANCE IN ALLIANCE BETWEEN TOKIO AND PETROGRAD

(By Associated Press.)

PEKING, China.—Commenting upon the remarks which M. Sazonoff, the Russian minister of foreign affairs, made in the Duma concerning the possibility of a closer alliance between Russia and Japan, the Peking Daily News says it is a "pronouncement fraught with the deepest import for China."

The paper continues: "For some time we have known that conversations were passing between Russia and Japan with a view to an alliance, and we have already pointed out the possible explanation, which is that Japan by her action toward China has brought herself into international disrepute and is consequently anxious to have a friend in Europe, the more so that she has somewhat strained the alliance with Great Britain. But in view of the opinion expressed from London that the conclusion of an alliance between Japan and Russia should be left until after the war, nothing more was to be expected on the subject. The statement now made in the Russian Duma would suggest that the overtures from Japan have been favorably received in Petrograd. Consequently Japan's sense of nation-

al importance will be enhanced by the prospect of an advantageous alliance.

"It is perhaps too early to discuss the effects of such an alliance as is foreshadowed in M. Sazonoff's statements, but speculations are likely to be made in China, which must of course be vitally concerned in such an agreement. One immediate result would be the tendency on the part of Japan to greater arrogance, but there is little doubt that the conclusion of the treaty itself would bring about an increased sense of responsibility and an appreciation of its limitations."

"Possibly such an alliance would decide the fate of Manchuria, for we cannot shut our eyes to the fact that Japan wants territorial rights in addition to political and economic privileges. But if the Japanese influence be increased in that region it may possibly slacken in other parts of our country, because it must be borne in mind that whatever the outcome of the present war the British navy is likely to come out supreme, and that being so it is only to be expected that Great Britain will not rely to the same extent on Japan for preserving the peace of the Far East or for preserving whatever naval balance may then exist."

HAWAII DECLARED EL DORADO FOR UNDERWRITERS

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] DEL MONTE, Cal., Sept. 24.—Chas. J. McCarthy, treasurer of Hawaii, who is a delegate at the national insurance commissioners' convention, addressed the convention yesterday in the situation in the islands. Among other statements made by Mr. McCarthy, he declared that the property owners of Hawaii pay more for fire insurance and receive less benefits from their insurance than the same number of people in any other part of the Union.

JOHN C. BRIDWELL SAFE

Friends of John C. Bridwell, formerly assistant entomologist of the Hawaii board of agriculture and forestry, who was thought to have been lost in Africa, learned yesterday that he is in Brisbane, Australia, where he awaits the arrival of his wife. She sailed from here September 8 for Sydney on the Makura and the ship is due at that port today. They will return to Hawaii October 15 or thereabouts. Two years ago Bridwell left Hawaii to search in Africa for a parasite of the Mediterranean fruit fly, and has been successful in his search.

Frankfort-on-the-Main saw the signing of the treaty of peace after the Franco-Prussian war, on May 10, 1871.

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DUMBA ASKS HIS HOME OFFICE FOR SPEEDY ACTION

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] BERLIN, Germany, Sept. 24.—Dr. Constantin Theodor Dumba, the Austro-Hungarian ambassador at Washington who has been declared persona non grata, has requested the foreign office at Vienna to act definitely on his application for leave, according to reports here. The ambassador has been recalled "on leave," but in view of the Washington government's refusal to obtain for him safe conduct under these conditions, Doctor Dumba is understood to have applied to the foreign office for a final decision in his case in order that he may return home at once and safely.

RAMEAU WITHDRAWS FORCE AFTER FIGHT WITH U. S. MARINES

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 24.—Another victory in Hayti, almost bloodless, is recorded for the American forces of invasion. Gen. Rameau, in command of 500 natives, has withdrawn into the interior after an encounter with American marines over the opening of railway lines to normal traffic. One Haytian was killed, but there were no casualties among the United States forces engaged.

GREAT NORTHERN MEETING POSTPONED

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] PORTLAND, Ore., Sept. 24.—There was no meeting of officials of the Great Northern Pacific Steamship Company yesterday afternoon, as had been planned, to take official action on the sending of the steamer Great Northern to Honolulu.

BRITISH CAPTAIN SAYS HESPERIAN WAS TORPEDOED

Chief Officer of S. S. Crossby Files Affidavit Declaring He Witnessed the Attack

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] NORFOLK, Va., Sept. 24.—Flatly contradicting the German claim that the liner Hesperian was sunk by striking a mine, Capt. Smellie of the British steamer Crossby, in papers filed with the local British consul, declares he witnessed the torpedoing of the Hesperian. The captain brought his ship into Newport News from London yesterday.

Captain Smellie not only witnessed the sinking of the Hesperian, but was prevented from giving the liner assistance or picking up any of its passengers and crew, according to his deposition.

The Crossby was pursued by the submarine when it started to the rescue. Turning about the steamer sought to escape the fate of the Hesperian. All steam was crowded on, but the submarine showed no signs of abandoning the chase, as Captain Smellie ordered a zig-zag course.

This was successful in tolling attack, for the German raider soon abandoned its pursuit.

FOREIGN EDITORS ABJURE BRYAN'S PEACE MISSION

President of Association Says Members Stand Back of Wilson Policies

[Associated Press by Federal Wireless] WASHINGTON, D. C., Sept. 24.—President Hammering of the American Association of Foreign Language Newspapers, under whose auspices it was announced William Jennings Bryan would make a "service of love" journey to Europe, in the cause of peace, visiting the various neutral nations, called upon President Wilson yesterday, assuring the President that the organization has no hand whatever in Mr. Bryan's planned trip abroad.

The organization stands solidly back of him in his foreign policy, President Hammering assured the President, announcing at the same time that if any of the members of the association can be shown to be working under the subsidy of any foreign government they will be expelled.

Masonic Temple Weekly Calendar

MONDAY—Leah Chapter No. 2, O. E. S.; Stated; 7:30 p. m.
TUESDAY—Honolulu Lodge No. 409; Special, Second Degree; 7:30 p. m.
WEDNESDAY—Hawailan Lodge No. 21; Special, Third Degree; 7:30 p. m.
THURSDAY—

FRIDAY—Honolulu Chapter No. 1; Rose Croix, 15th Degree; 7:30 p. m.
SATURDAY—

SCHOFIELD LODGE

WEDNESDAY—Work in Third Degree; 7:30 p. m.
SATURDAY—Work in First Degree; 7:30 p. m.

HERMANN SOEHNE

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